

Expanded View Figures

Figure EV1. Analysis of CD8WT and CD8.4 monoclonal T cells, related to Fig 1.

- A Expression of indicated surface markers on CD8WT F5 and CD8.4 F5 LN T cell was analyzed by flow cytometry. A representative experiment out of four in total.
- B CD8WT F5 and CD8.4 F5 T cells primed by Lm-NP68 (Fig 1D) were examined by flow cytometry. Absolute numbers of KLRG1⁺ IL-7R⁻ short-lived effector cells and KLRG1⁻ IL-7R⁺ memory precursors were determined. Mean \pm SEM. n = 4 mice per group from two independent experiments. Statistical significance was determined by two-tailed *t*-test. The data do not seem to be strongly deviated from the normal distribution and seem to have equal variance. However, because of the low *n*, we could not test the normality/equal variance rigorously.
- C Expression of indicated markers on CD8WT OT-I and CD8.4 OT-I LN T cell and their size estimated by FSC signal was analyzed by flow cytometry. A representative experiment out of 10 in total.
- D Expression of CD5 on CD44⁻ (naïve) and CD44⁺ (memory subsets) of CD8WT OT-I and CD8.4 OT-I LN T cells was analyzed by flow cytometry. A representative experiment out of three in total.
- E Expression of CD5 on T cells isolated from LN of indicated mouse strains by flow cytometry. A representative experiment out of two in total.



Figure EV2. Analysis of CD8WT and CD8.4 polyclonal T cells, related to Fig 2.

- A LN cells isolated from polyclonal CD8WT and CD8.4 mice were stimulated with 10 ng/ml PMA and 1.5 μ M ionomycin or left untreated for 5 h in the presence of BD Golgi Stop and the percentage of IFN γ -producing cells was determined by flow cytometry. The cells were gated as CD8⁺ and further divided into CD44⁺ and CD44⁻ populations. Mean + SEM. *n* = 4 independent experiments.
- B Quantification of the frequency of CD122^{HI} CD49d⁻ VM and CD122^{LOW} CD49⁺ true memory cells among CD8⁺ CD44⁺ CD62L⁺ CM T cells isolated from LN is shown. Mean, *n* = 9–15 mice per group from four independent experiments. Statistical significance was determined using two-tailed Mann–Whitney test.



Figure EV3. Differences in TCR repertoires between naïve and VM T cells, related to Fig 3.

A Alternative gating strategy for the same samples as shown in Fig 3B–D (T cells from V β 5 mice). A representative experiment out of eight in total.

- B, C The expression of CD5 on CD8⁺ K^b-OVA-4mer⁺ CD8⁺ V α 2⁺ or V α 8.3⁺ cells or total CD8⁺ K^b-OVA-4mer⁺ isolated from LN and the spleen was determined by flow cytometry. Relative MFI CD5 levels were quantified (CD5 levels on CD8⁺ K^b-OVA-4mer⁺ V α 8.3⁺ were arbitrarily set as 1). Mean + SD, *n* = 3 independent experiments. Statistical significance was determined using two-tailed one-value *t*-test.
- D TCRα sequences from Fig 3F were analyzed for TRAJ usage. Means + SEM. n = 4 independent experiments. Statistical significance was determined by chi-square test.
- E Schematic representation of the generation and analysis of retrogenic monoclonal T-cell subsets.
- F Frequency of VM T cells among monoclonal populations expressing TCR clones V14-C2, V14-C7, and OT-I generated as in Fig 3G.
- G CD5 levels on naïve monoclonal T cells expressing V14-C2, V14-C7, and OT-I. Representative mice out of 9–14 in total from two to four independent experiments.



Figure EV4. Gene expression analysis of naïve, VM, and TM T cells, related to Fig 4.

Transcriptomes of naive (n = 4), VM (n = 4), and TM (n = 3) CD8⁺ T cells were analyzed by deep RNA sequencing.

- A Correlation of the gene expression between individual samples.
- B PCA analysis between the samples.
- C-F Enrichment of CD8⁺ naïve signature genes (as revealed by previous studies) (C), cytokine encoding genes (D), chemokine receptor encoding genes (E), and cytokine receptor encoding genes (F) in naïve, VM, and true CM T cells.



Figure EV5. Functional characterization of naïve, VM, and TM T cells, related to Fig 5.

- A Indicated number of CD8WT OT-I or CD8.4 OT-I T cells were adoptively transferred into RIP-OVA hosts, which were infected with Lm-OVA or -Q4H7 1 day later. Blood glucose was measured 7 days after the infection. *n* = 5–11 mice per group in 3–6 independent experiments. These are the same experiments as in Fig 5A. Mean is indicated.
- B FACS-sorted 1×10^4 naïve CD8WT OT-I, CD8.4 OT-I (VM), sorted true memory OT-I T cells or no T cells were adoptively transferred into Ly5.1 C57Bl/6 mice followed by infection with 5,000 CFU Lm-Q4H7. Total Lm-Q4H7 CFU counts in the spleen were quantified on day 3 and day 5 post-infection. n = 6 mice in two independent experiments.
- C Quantification of the experiment shown in Fig 5E and F. Percentage of donor OT-I and CD8.4 OT-I T cells among all CD8⁺ T cells is shown. Percentage of short-lived effector cells (IL-7R⁻ KLRG1⁺), memory precursors (IL-7R⁺ KLRG1⁻), and double-positive cells IL-7R⁺ KLRG1⁺ among the donor cells are shown. Statistical significance was calculated using Mann–Whitney test. *n* = 7 (CD8.4 OT-I + Lm-OVA) or 9 (the other three experimental conditions) in four independent experiments.
- D Indicated number of CD8.4 OT-I or true memory OT-I T cells were adoptively transferred into RIP-OVA hosts, which were infected with Lm-Q4H7 1 day later. The glucose in the blood was measured on day 7 post-infection. Statistical significance was calculated using Mann–Whitney test $n = 11 (1 \times 10^4 \text{ transferred cells})$ or 13 (2 × 10⁴ transferred cells) mice per group in four independent experiments. These are the same experiments as in Fig 5H.
- E OT-I or CD8.4 OT-I was cocultured with bone marrow dendritic cells that were pre-loaded or not with 10 μ M putative endogenous positive selecting peptides for OT-I T cells (Mapk8, AGYSFEKL; Cantb, RTYTYEKL) or with 0.1 μ M OVA peptide. Blocking of the MHCI by adding anti-H2-K^b antibody (clone Y3, 10 μ g/ml) was used as a negative control. Percentage of CD69⁺ T cells in the overnight stimulation was quantified by flow cytometry. Mean + SEM. *n* = 2 (MHC-I blocking) or 3 (all the other experimental conditions) independent experiments.
- F CellTrace violet-loaded OT-I or CD8.4 OT-I T cells were adoptively transferred into Ly5.1 C57Bl/6 donors followed by infection with Lm-OVA (1×10^4 transferred cells), Lm-Catnb, or empty Lm (both 1×10^5 transferred cells) 1 day later. Expression of activation marker CD25 and dilution of the proliferation dye in donor cells was examined on day 5 post-infection. Representative mice out of seven in total from three independent experiments are shown. The cells from the Lm-OVA infected mice are the same as used for the analysis in Fig 5G.